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SUBJECT : AMERICAN CONTRACTOR FOR SAUDI-BAHRAIN CAUSEWAY

DURING COURSE RECENT A/E TRADE MISSION I CALLED WITH CAGNE
DEPUTY DIRECTOR MCCAULEY ON BAHRAIN DEVELOPMENT MINISTER
SHIRAWI. IN COURSE OF MEETING HE SAID THAT HE HAD SUGGESTED
TO SAUDI COUNTERPARTS THAT PROPOSED CAUSEWAY BE BUILT BY "AN
AMERICAN COMPANY SUCH AS BROWN & ROOT OR BECHTEL ON A
NEGOTIATED CONTRACT BASIS". SHIRAWI CONTINUED THAT HE
ASSUMED THAT MUCH OF THE WORK ON THIS PROJECT WOULD FOR
ECONOMIC REASONS HAVE TO BE PERFORMED BY NON-AMERICAN
CONTRACTORS BUT THAT HE FELT STRONGLY SAUDIS WOULD BE WELL
ADVISED TO PLACE ENTIRE PROJECT IN THE HANDS OF A REPUTABLE
AMERICAN PRIME CONTRACTOR. HE SUGGESTED APPROPRIATE U.S.
OFFICIALS MIGHT WANT TO FOLLOW UP WITH SAUDIS ON THIS
SUGGESTION.
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